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	FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)						
Applica	pplication Number 10/053,266				Filed January 17, 2002		
For	For NOVEL METHOD FOR THE GENERATION AND SELECTION OF TRANSGENIC LINSEED/FLAX PLANTS						
Art Uni	rt Unit 1638				Examiner Helmer, Georgia L.		
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.							
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):							
			<u>Fee</u>	Small Entity Fee			
		One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$		
		Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	\$		
	\boxtimes	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	\$	510.00	
		Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	\$		
		Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	\$		
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.						
	A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
	Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
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I am the applicant/inventor.							
	assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).						
	attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 30,709			709		10053266	
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attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 30,709 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. Signature Margaret A. Pierri Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire Interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required below. Total of forms are submitted.						/2006 RP	

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